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DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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NOTICE

TO: All Certified Processors and Other Interested Parties

SUBJECT: Statewide Average Monthly Scrap Value Notice for August 2003

California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 14, Section 2985 (b), requires the Department of Conservation, Division of Recycling (Division) to provide written notification of the monthly statewide weighted average scrap values for beverage container material types reported to the Division by participating certified processors. The Division has also chosen to send this notice to certified recyclers keeping them informed.

The statewide weighted average scrap values for each beverage container material type reported on the reverse side of this notice are the monthly scrap value **purchases** reported by participating certified processors. Year-to-date totals for glass are reported at the request of the glass industry. These totals for glass are provided to enable the industry to see how the value of glass develops from October 2002 to the present. Aluminum scrap values are derived from the *American Metal Market* publication.

These data are initial estimates and are subject to future adjustment that will be reflected in subsequent notices. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact **Sharon Minard**, Division of Recycling, at (916) 323-5778.

Chuck Seidler Market Research Branch

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| Scrap Value Per Ton | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|------------|--------|----------|-------------------|--------------------|--|
| - | Aluminum | Glass | Bimetal | #1 PET Plastic | #2 HDPE Plastic | |
| Oct-02 | \$939.68 | \$6.68 | \$0.25 | \$103.67 | \$160.90 | |
| Nov-02 | \$992.33 | \$7.02 | \$0.34 | \$97.93 | \$135.81 | |
| Dec-02 | \$1007.74 | \$7.02 | \$0.98 | \$100.21 | \$145.75 | |
| Jan-03 | \$1008.71 | \$6.98 | \$9.91 | \$102.64 | \$142.09 | |
| Feb-03 | \$1042.86 | \$6.99 | \$2.83 | \$146.72 | \$133.55 | |
| Mar-03 | \$1052.26 | \$7.05 | \$26.09 | \$152.32 | \$124.97 | |
| Apr-03 | \$989.33 | \$8.96 | \$0.83 | \$147.40 | \$152.69 | |
| May-03 | \$1,002.26 | \$8.93 | \$0.00 | \$136.71 | \$149.21 | |
| Jun-03 | \$999.67 | \$7.15 | \$0.00 | \$174.64 | \$155.88 | |
| Jul-03 | \$980.16 | \$7.88 | \$0.18 | \$211.48 | \$171.77 | |
| Aug-03 Sep-03 | \$999.68 | \$6.30 | (\$4.80) | \$244.05 | \$164.38 | |

| | Scrap Value Per Ton | | | | | | |
|--------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------|--|--|
| | #3 V Plastic | #4 LDPE Plastic | #5 PP Plastic | #6 PS Plastic | #7 Other Plastic | | |
| Oct-02 | \$30.00 | \$ 0.00 | \$0.00 | \$3.00 | \$ 8.77 | | |
| Nov-02 | \$39.86 | \$ 0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$45.40 | | |
| Dec-02 | \$ 0.00 | \$42.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$11.75 | | |
| Jan-03 | \$ 0.37 | \$ 0.00 | \$0.00 | \$2.00 | \$38.50 | | |
| Feb-03 | \$ 0.00 | \$ 0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$ 0.00 | | |
| Mar-03 | \$ 0.00 | \$ 0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$31.60 | | |
| Apr-03 | \$ 0.00 | \$ 0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$72.47 | | |
| May-03 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Jun-03 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Jul-03 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$46.89 | | |
| Aug-03 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | (\$176.00) | | |
| Sep-03 | | | | | | | |

GLASS YEAR TO DATE
OCTOBER 2002 – SEPTEMBER 2003
AVERAGE \$/TON: \$7.35
RC + CS + SP + CP TONS: 375,610.09